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PART II-A.

NOTIFICATIONS RELATING TO LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT.

CHINTAMANI TOWN MUNICIPALITY.

Amendments to Bye-laws of Octroi framed by the Chintamani Town Municipality.

Notice is hereby given to the inhabitants of the Chintamani Town Municipal area that Municipality desires to impose octroi duty on the following new articles imported into Municipal limits as specified below under Section 46 (i) of the Mysore Municipal Regulation No. VII of 1906 and amend the bye-laws sanctioned by Government Order No. 3657-187-218, dated 26th April 1924 as follows under Section 48 (k) of the said Regulation.—

Any person objecting to the proposed rates of duty and the following amended and proposed bye-laws, may, within one month from the date of publication of this Notice, send objections in writing to the President, Municipal Council, Chintamani. Objections received after the due date will be rejected.

Page 1. Taxes and Exemptions:—In column 4 of Schedule A, Page 5, add the following class and rates of articles liable for duty.

	Rs.	a.	p.
Jaggery, sugar per maund	0	1	0
Cigars, Cigarettes per bundle of 50 packs of 10 cigarettes each	0	1	0
Beedies per 1,000	0	0	3

Column 5 of Schedule A:—List of exemptions:—Delete the phrase "Cloths imported through the Post Office" in clause 2 and substitute "Exemptions however will be granted when cloths not exceeding one at a time to the same address are imported through Post Office for bona fide household purpose by any one other than a dealer in cloths and piece goods. The goods so imported if exhibited for sale without payment of due octroi duty thereon, will be considered as smuggled goods."

Page 1. Bye-law No. 1:—Substitute the following for Bye-law No. 1:—Octroi limits for purpose of collecting octroi duty shall be the area of a radius of 5 miles all round the

present Municipal limits as described in the Schedule 'C' and shall include the present Municipal area.

Insert the following as Bye-law No. 33 A, B, C. and D.—A. Goods passing into and within the octroi limits are liable to the payment of octroi duty. Every person who with the intention to defraud the Municipal Council, causes or abets the introduction of or brings into or introduces or attempts to introduce within the said octroi limits of the Municipality such goods upon which payment of octroi due on such introduction has neither been made nor tendered, shall on conviction before a Magistrate be punishable with a fine amounting to ten times the value of such octroi or Rs. 50 whichever is greater.

B. Any person selling, keeping for sale or having in his possession any dutiable article on which octroi has not been paid within the octroi limits mentioned above, shall on conviction before a Magistrate be liable to a fine not exceeding ten times the value of such goods or Rs. 100 whichever is greater.

C. The President, Town Municipal Council, Chintamani if he has reason to believe that any merchant, resident of the town, dealing with dutiable articles of octroi, stored within the octroi limits without payment of duty in any place, building, covered or uncovered, such articles, is authorised to call for the accounts of any such merchant, can enter at any time without a warrant into any premises suspected to contain goods on which duty has not been paid, and inspect and verify the stock therein with the accounts maintained by him. If any discrepancies, irregularities or fraud is detected, such defaulter shall on conviction before a Magistrate be liable to a fine not less than Rs. 100 or ten times the value of octroi due on such article whichever is greater.

D. Any officer of the Municipal Council authorised by the President, if he has reason to believe that the dutiable articles on which octroi has not been paid are kept or concealed within the octroi limits in any place, building, covered or uncovered mentioned above, after obtaining a search warrant from the Taluk Executive Magistrate enter and search any time such premises and if he finds any such article on which octroi has not been paid, may seize such article and arrest the person in possession of the same, provided that the article or person so seized or arrested shall be produced before the Magistrate competent to take cognisance of the case within 24 hours from the time of such seizure. Any defaulter may, if he likes compound the case with the President of the Municipality by paying fifteen times the duty on the articles in respect of which default has been made.

SCHEDULE "C"

BOUNDARIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING OCTROI DUTY IN THE CHINTAMANI TOWN MUNICIPALITY.

North.—The Boundary commences from north-western corner of Chikkamunimangala running along the northern boundary of that village reaching the south-west corner of Dasarakunte, running along the eastern boundary of that village running straight on to the north-west corner of Chinnepalli, village and passing along northern boundaries of Chinnepalli, Adeipalli, Kuruppalli, Kuppalli meeting the western corner of Agrahar village, then passing along the south-west boundary of that village meeting eastern corner of Kappalavillage and passing along the Southern boundary of Gudarlappalli and Chelumkote reaching the north-eastern corner of Gollapalli.

East.—Thence running along the eastern boundary of Gollapalli and Barlapalli and Hebri, Doddarjenahalli villages meeting north-western corner of Siddimat village, then passing along the western boundary of the said village crossing the Srinivaspur Road at the eastern end of the bund of Nakkalpalligadda tank passing along the eastern boundary of Nakkalpalligadda meeting north-east corner of Balapalahalli, thence running westward along the southern boundary of Nakkalpalligadda and Doddaganjoor reaching north-east corner of Gollahalli village, thence passing the eastern side of Gollahalli village and Munchinthalahalli village.

South.—Passing along the southern boundaries of Mudachinthalahalli, Handig, Bramanadinne, Alamgiri reaching the south-west corner of Suldinahalli, thence passing along the western boundary of Suldinahalli, the south-west boundary of Chinnasandra, southern boundary of Mailapura reaching south-west corner of the latter village.

West.—It, then, passing along the western boundary of Mailapura and Voddah meets the south-east corner of Upperpet, thence passing along the southern boundaries of Upperpet, Antiganahalli and western boundaries of Antiganahalli Royapalli and Chinnahalli, Korlahalli, Kodigepalli and Chikkamunimangala meeting the starting point north-west corner of Chikkamunimangala.

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